

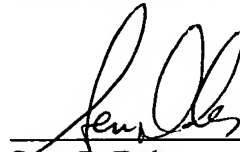
REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement mailed January 30, 2006, Applicants amended the specification to update priority information. Applicants also cancelled claims 1-102 and added new claims 103-138. Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the courtesy extended by the Examiner in granting a telephonic interview to discuss this amendment. Applicants believe that in view of this amendment the restriction requirement mailed January 30, 2006 no longer applies.

Please apply any other charges or credits to deposit account 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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